

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

THE CHICKASAW NATION and)	
THE CHOCTAW NATION,)	
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Plaintiffs,)	
)	
v.)	No. 05-cv-01524-W
)	
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF)	
THE INTERIOR, <i>et al.</i> ,)	Senior Judge Lee West
)	
Defendants.)	
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JOINT MOTION TO AMEND MAY 8, 2014 SCHEDULING ORDER

Pursuant to Rule 7(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Civil Rule 7.1(h), Defendants hereby respectfully move for a modification of the deadlines in the Court's May 8, 2014 scheduling order [Doc. 180]. In support of this motion, the Parties' state the following:

1. On May 8, 2014, the Court entered a scheduling order, [Doc. 180], setting dates related to pretrial matters.
2. On June 17, 2015, proceedings were held before the Court and during those proceedings the parties discussed and agreed to a number of modifications to the existing schedule.
3. To codify the agreements made during the June 17, 2015 proceedings, the Parties therefore propose the following proposed amendment to the Court's May 8, 2014 scheduling order, {Doc. 180}:

- a) The parties shall file and serve their amended deposition designations on or before **July 3, 2015**
- b) The parties shall file and serve their counter designations to the opposing parties' designated deposition testimony on or before **July 7, 2015**;
- c) Pursuant to the Court's May 8, 2014, Order [Doc. 180] the parties shall file and serve all objections to the opposing parties' counter designations to designated deposition testimony on or before **July 10, 2015**.
- d) The parties shall exchange demonstratives on or before **July 10, 2015**;
- e) The parties shall file and serve stipulated facts on or before **July 10, 2015**.
- f) Defendants shall file and serve final factual stipulations on or before **July 10, 2015**.
- g) Defendants shall file and serve rebuttals to Dr. Berkman's April 2015 Supplemental Report on or before **July 9, 2015**.
- h) Trial will begin on **July 14, 2015** beginning at **9:00am** Central and will consist of 24 hours for each side to prosecute and defend, including opening and closing, direct examination of witnesses and cross-examination of the opposing side witnesses. After evidence in chief is presented each side will have 4 hours for rebuttal and sur-rebuttal, if needed.

Respectfully submitted on this 1st day of July, 2015,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on July 1, 2015, I authorized the electronic filing of the foregoing Joint Motion to Amend May 8, 2014 Scheduling Order with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send email notification of such filing to all registered parties.

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